

WILL NOT PRESS RECIPROCITY BILL

Conferees of Senate Leaders Decide Not to Push Measure to an Early Vote.

TIME TO SPEAK IS GIVEN Members Will Not Be Curtailed in Their Desire.

CUMMINS ATTACKS PRESIDENT Criticizes Executive for His Recent Indiana Speeches.

BURTON SPEAKS FOR BILL Ohio Senator Takes Strong Position in Favor of Reciprocity—Enters Protest Against Duties.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—At a conference of senators today participated in by Messrs. Penrose and Smoot, republicans, and Martin and Stone, democrats, it was decided not to press daily for the fixing of a date to vote on the reciprocity bill so long as there are senators prepared to speak.

It was determined, however, to endeavor to fix the hour of convening daily at 11 a. m. instead of noon.

Senator Stone of Missouri, democrat, urged Chairman Penrose again to ask for a definite date for the vote. The conference followed and Senator Penrose announced the change of plans.

President Taft's pro-reciprocity speeches in Indiana Monday and Tuesday were sharply criticized in the senate today by Senator Cummins.

"When the president abandons the duties of his office and enters upon a campaign to mould or lead public opinion on this reciprocity bill," said Mr. Cummins, "then he is on the same level as any other man and cannot be exempt from the criticism of the arguments he uses."

Senator Cummins attacked the president's statement that removal of the duty on farm products would not reduce the cost of living. He said the president was sharply criticized in the senate today by Senator Cummins.

"It is vastly better for him to go through the country trying to lead and influence public opinion than it would be for him to use the power of his great office to carry this bill through congress."

He declared that if the president's speech was to be taken as the explanation of the purpose of the Canadian bill congress had better adjourn.

"I believe this special session of 1911 will be known in history as the session that more firmly fastened on the people and the country the burdens of special tariff privileges."

Burton Speaks for Bill. Senator Burton of Ohio, with a preliminary explanation that he was not intending to defend the administration, because "the administration needs no defense," made a notable speech in behalf of the Canadian reciprocity bill in the senate today.

He declared that reciprocity was the "ultimate destiny" of Canada and the United States, that all natural conditions were opposed to the maintenance of border warfare in commercial matters, and that the farmers of the United States would not suffer injury from the enactment of the Canadian agreement.

Senator Burton was most emphatic in his endorsement of the agreement. He declared reciprocity would not injure the farmer's interests.

"In the early discussion there was a outcry in some quarters that the adoption of the agreement would reduce the profits obtained by the farmers," said Senator Burton.

Will Not Injure Farmers. "While this claim is still made on behalf of specific localities and certain products, the general ground of opposition has shifted and it is now maintained not that the agreement will confer a present injury upon the farmers, but that in the future it will lower the prices which they will receive."

"What is this but a demand for increased protection on food products? How can an advocate for lower duties support such a proposition? This nation cannot maintain its present position without an abundant supply of the primary necessities of life, especially of essential articles of food."

"The intention of the proposal for reciprocity is not to reduce the price of articles sold by the farmer. The slight loss of producers of particular articles and in specific localities is overbalanced by the

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Late Celebrators Use Cartridges Loaded With Bullets

Four More Fatalities in New York and Three in Pittsburgh—Twelve Drown in Philadelphia.

NEW YORK, July 5.—Joseph Sennell, 16 years old, was instantly killed today and two other boys, his companions, were stunned and badly burned by a bullet explosion from a revolver. The boys found two heavy motor bombs and Joseph explored the contents of one with his jack-knife. When he reached the core there was a terrific explosion. The boy was blown twenty-five feet and terribly torn and mangled. The other two boys were unconscious when found.

The majority of the accidents last night were gunshot wounds. Those who found themselves unable to buy firecrackers and blank cartridges used revolvers and ball cartridges already in their possession.

Three persons were killed and thirteen wounded by chance or malicious bullets. One boy of 11 was killed by a youth of 14, who said: "Watch me wing a kid," and deliberately fired. A mob chased him, but he escaped.

PHILADELPHIA, July 5.—A recapitulation of the results of the celebration of Independence day in Philadelphia was made today and shows that it was as near an "old-fashioned Fourth" as anyone would want it. It was the hottest Fourth day of July in thirteen years and there were eleven deaths from the heat and many prostrations. Twelve persons were drowned in the rivers and creeks in and about Philadelphia while bathing; there were two murders, several attempted murders and numerous blows and about 60 persons were treated at hospitals for injuries received in handling fireworks. Among the injured are some serious cases, but no deaths are expected unless tetanus follows.

PITTSBURGH, July 5.—Three dead and forty-three injured, six of whom may die, is the casualty list in connection with the Fourth of July celebration here. Of the dead two are children who were burned in firecracker accidents, while T. M. Kenna, aged 55, was struck in the head by a spent bullet and killed.

There were three other accidents due to spent bullets. An unidentified woman was struck by a spent bullet while in a summer car and her condition is critical at a hospital.

Fire loss is estimated at \$60,000. DES MOINES, Ia., July 5.—Fourth of July accidents were numerous throughout Iowa. At Davenport Roscoe McCosken, aged 12, died from powder burns today and a bullet from a boy's rifle broke the arm of Mrs. Dorothea Jarchow, aged 70.

At Burlington Frank Dewain died today from injuries caused by a premature explosion of powder. Harold Ashway is dying from a bullet wound.

QUINCY, Ill., July 5.—Robert Armstrong, aged 11, of Cameron, was struck in the face by a rocket last night and died today.

Wild Scenes in Kansas City. KANSAS CITY, July 5.—Amid the wildest scenes enacted on the Kansas City Board of Trade for years the corn market gained from 1/2 to 3/4 cents in price in the first ten minutes of trading today. During that time approximately 1,000,000 bushels had been traded in. Traders fought each other to secure the grain.

At 10:15 o'clock the market had steadied somewhat. At that hour September corn was quoted at 11 1/2 cents and December corn at 11 1/4 cents.

CORN STILL HAS GREAT CHANCE Rain May Come in Time to Give the State a Bumper Crop.

In spite of the very high temperature and lack of rain, reports have been received to indicate that corn, up to Wednesday morning had been seriously injured. However, should the present drought continue for a few more days the corn crop will suffer materially. Rain fell in very few places Tuesday and Wednesday mornings and farmers all over the state are praying for moisture.

Burlington agents' estimates as to conditions average as follows: Omaha division, 90 per cent; Lincoln division, 95 per cent; Wyoming division, 92 per cent; McCook division, 90 per cent. The corn crop still has great possibilities, according to the reports.

For Monday and Tuesday there was not a drop of rain in the Wyoming division, and rain is badly needed.

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At Minden light showers fell on the Fourth and one-half an inch of rain fell at Norton and Oberlin. Willsonville also had a few light showers. At Benkenen and Roggen good showers were reported on Tuesday. At Lafayette 2.3 of an inch of rain was reported.

On the Lincoln division light showers were reported from some of the smaller towns on Tuesday, but Monday was dry.

Powers Are Still Discussing Action of Kaiser in Morocco

France, England and Russia Trying to Fathom Germany's Motive in Intervening.

PARIS, July 5.—Conversations are still going on between France, England and Russia relative to France's response to the ultimatum which Germany has presented to the United States in Morocco. Should a reply be forwarded it probably would not be before Saturday when President Fallieres and Foreign Minister De Selves are to return from their visit to Holland.

A majority of the press print daily the opinion that "the Kaiser wants war."

Some newspapers, like the Figaro, criticize the French government for a lack of decision in defending the interest of France and accuse the cabinet of leaning too heavily on the initiative in England.

BERLIN, July 5.—Germany has learned definitely it was announced at the German foreign office today, that no English warship has been sent to Moroccan waters. The final object of the step taken by Germany in sending a warship to Agadir, according to the Cologne Gazette, is an honorable and useful settlement of the Moroccan question.

This is the note struck by other responsible organs, which are now anxious to discredit any idea of territorial acquisition.

Dowager Queen of Portugal is Dead

Grandmother of Former King Manuel Passes Away at Turin, Italy.

TURIN, Italy, July 5.—Maria Pia, queen dowager of Portugal, died at the royal chateau at Stupinigi at 5:15 o'clock this afternoon. She suffered from uremia.

Maria Pia was a daughter of Victor Emmanuel II, king of Italy, and was born October 14, 1812. She married King Louis XVIII of Portugal, who died in 1862. Recently she had been living in Italy with her sister, Princess Clothilde, widow of Prince Napoleon. The death of the princess several days ago left the sister prostrated and she had been reported as seriously ill.

The queen dowager passed through many misfortunes. Her brother, King Humbert of Italy, her son, King Carlos, and her grandson, the Portuguese crown prince, were assassinated, and her other grandson, King Manuel, was deposed from the Portuguese throne.

CORN MARKETS IN PANIC FROM HYP

Excited Buyers Bid Price Up, Cents as Result of Stories of Crop Damage.

BUYING ORDERS FLOOD CHICAGO Quotations Vary as Much as 21-2 Cents Early in Day.

ALL ADVICES TELL SAME STORY Private Telegram Says No Precedents to Go By.

WILD SCENES IN KANSAS CITY Prices Advance Five Cents in First Ten Minutes Because of Reports of Damage to Crop by the Heat.

CHICAGO, July 5.—Continuance of withering heat over the corn belt was reflected in an excited corn market here today, the market selling early to an extreme advance of 4 1/2 cents, as compared with the close last Saturday.

Buying orders flooded the pit, and quotations varied as much as 21c in different parts of the opening.

July corn closed Saturday at 80 1/2c and advanced to 81c today. September rose to 80c, compared with the previous close of 79c. Oats shared in the excitement, advancing an extreme 2 1/2c.

A private telegram from Kansas City says: "No precedent to go by, as there have been no records like these. Temperatures on Saturday and Sunday in the fields were 92 to 115 degrees."

Private advices from all over the corn belt tell the same story. Oklahoma burned to a crisp; Kansas scorched from end to end of the other.

It is reported that implement dealers have cancelled human orders.

The best known of the crop experts here report that the condition of oats and hay is the poorest ever known. He places the July condition of oats at 67.5c as compared with 83.3 last month and that of hay at 24.4 against 30.3 in June. His report puts the present condition of corn at 32.4, as compared with 33.1 a year ago.

Word from Southern Illinois that the heat turned corn from green to white and had inflicted heavy damage gave prices another hard twist upward. Before trading ceased, the September option in corn touched 87c, and in the end was strong at 85c, an advance of 4 1/2c for the day. Oats also showed a further rise on top of the early bulge.

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British Torpedo Boat Destroyers Damaged

Seven New Vessels Badly Strained During Recent Speed Tests in Rough Water.

LONDON, JULY 5.—Seven of Great Britain's newest ocean going torpedo boat destroyers have been put out of action by straining their hulls while under full speed trials in the heavy seas of the English channel. The destroyers, Acorn, Alarm, Rifleman, Nemesis, Lynx, Nymph and Larva, reached Portland in such a leaky condition that divers were requisitioned to close the gaps in the seams, pending docking.

The trouble was the result of tremendous vibration of the powerful engines, driving the little warships at a speed of twenty-eight knots through the rough water. The rivets of the plates were started in all directions, opening gaps which caused the water to pour into the oil bunkers and rendering the fuel useless.

REICHHMANN IS OUT ON BONDS Former President of Carnegie Trust Company is Granted Certificate of Reasonable Doubt.

NEW YORK, July 5.—A certificate of reasonable doubt in the case of Joseph B. Reichmann, formerly president of the Carnegie Trust company, was granted today by Justice Page in the state supreme court.

Reichmann was convicted last week of making a false report to the state banking department and sentenced to four and a half months in the penitentiary.

The court finds that the defendant's constitutional privileges were invaded, that he was forced to answer questions put by the grand jury under threat of contempt of court which should not have been allowed. Reichmann was released in \$10,000 bail. His case will go to the appellate division of the supreme court.

Firm as a Rock

Mr. Newland Has Measure to Control Industrial Corporations.

APPLIES TO BIG INDUSTRIES New Board Will Have Power to Regulate All Large Companies that Do Interstate Business in This Country.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—An interstate trade commission of five members to control industrial corporations as the Interstate Commerce commission controls the railroads is advocated in a bill introduced in the senate today by Mr. Newlands of Nevada. Mr. Newlands in a statement contended that the standard oil and tobacco decisions and the recent government report on the steel industry demonstrate the need of "an independent, non-judicial and administrative tribunal of great character and dignity as far removed from partisan prejudice as are the courts." The plan is to apply only to industrial corporations engaged in interstate trade whose annual receipts exceed \$500,000.

Mr. Newlands' statement was by way of urging the passage of a bill which he introduced providing for this commission. His measure would separate the bureau of corporations from the Department of Commerce and Labor and merge the bureau into a commission of interstate trade with Mr. Newlands as chairman and a member of the new commission.

It would require all the industrial corporations having control exceeding \$500,000 to make satisfactory statements as to capitalization, finances and operations, such corporations to be known as "United States regulated" companies. It is proposed to make lack of such registration an "indication of something wrong."

Mr. Newlands declared that if such legislation had replaced or aided the Sherman anti-trust act that more than twenty years ago this country would have advanced as far in regulation of industrial organizations as it has in railroad regulation. He referred to recent expressions of Mr. Geary of the steel corporation and others as indicating that the great corporation managers recognize that public regulation is now inevitable.

Mr. Newlands said his plan proposes that frequent reports be required from the corporations, information of public interest to be published from time to time; the commission to be nonpartisan; not more than three members to be of one party, and the term of office to be ten years. Mr. Newlands said that his plan makes no attempt to give too many powers of correction or punishment nor the power of fixing prices, but its powers may be enlarged as experience shall indicate.

The measure proposed by Mr. Newlands includes these provisions:

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Mr. Henry Deplores Tendency of Millionaires to Shine as Great Noblemen in Foreign Courts.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—Lavish display of American diplomats in foreign courts was described as abasing the dignity of the republic; "dollar diplomacy" was denounced as a dangerous thing, and American addresses who have made international alliances were assailed in a speech in the house today by Representative Henry of Texas.

The speech was on a motion to take from committee a resolution calling on the secretary of state for information relative to the purchase of embassy sites abroad.

Mr. Henry, "that when very wealthy and proud and overplumbed ambassadors entered into the ancient capital of England amid a veritable riot of vulgar display and extravagance of wealth, rushing headlong to the feast of royalty, no serious casualties actually occurred."

"The most serious and corrupting aspect of the times is the tendency of our great millionaires, still professing admiration for our republican institutions, to shine in splendor as great noblemen in foreign courts. In their endeavor to pave the way for such royal status, the world has been profoundly amused at the expense of this nation, by the so-called system of international marriage oftentimes secured by purchase in return for high sounding titles, accidentally held by thin-blooded noblemen."

"The time has come when this humiliating spectacle should be brought to a close by a decree coming from the hearts and minds of the true American citizen."

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COURT DECIDES BIG CASES

Two Murder Cases Are Settled Against the Defendants.

THOMAS STAYS IN FOR LIFE Dr. J. E. Gilmore of Jones County Will Get New Trial—Important Decision in Liquor Nuisance Case.

DES MOINES, Ia., July 5.—(Special Telegram)—The supreme court today rendered thirty-nine decisions in appealed cases and the members departed for their homes. Among the cases decided was that of Brinsmaid against Alice Steele, in which the court upholds Miss Steele's right to an insurance policy written to her by her betrothed, but not transferred formally.

Three murder cases were disposed of. Thomas Hamilton of Des Moines county and Henry Thomas of Polk county, having been sentenced, affirmed, the latter for life, and Dr. J. E. Gilmore of Jones county getting a new trial.

In a notable case from Sioux City wherein the law of the state in regard to certiorari in liquor nuisance cases was attacked, the court holds the law is constitutional.

Among other cases were the following from Fottawattmie county: Gray against Bloom, appellant, affirmed; Frohardt against Duff, affirmed; Blizard Bros., appellant, against Grover Canning company, reversed.

New Guard Armory. Des Moines will get a national guard battalion armory in the near future, cost- ing between \$50,000 and \$100,000 and a battalion in the national guard, the first to be formed in Iowa in any one city. The plans have just been completed by the colonel of the Fifty-fifth regiment.

Tax Commission Organized. The new State Tax commission met and organized today with M. H. Cohen of this city as chairman. The commission will investigate the tax and revenue laws of the state and suggest such changes as the board deems advisable in a report to be made to the next session of the general assembly.

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At Lincoln it went to 110 before the drop came and then the relief was slight. It reached 110 at Fremont also and a small tornado came then the mercury dropped.

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